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National Defence Academy,
P.O.Clement Town, Dehra Dun, U.P.,
31 Oct. 51.

My Dear Krishna Rao,

May I thank you and your lady wife for an enthrilling experience I had last evening at your dance recital? Your crisp and lucid exposition made all the difference, and I shall cherish the mory of this evening when you introduced us to great art.

Yours sincerely,

sd.BHAWANISHANKAR.

(TRUE COPY)

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Joint Services Wing,
National Defence Academy,
P.O.Clement Town, Dehra Dun,
21st Jan. 52.

My Dear Krishna Rao,

Thanks for your two letters. We rejoice to hear of your flaming success in Calcutta, and your special performance in Mysore on the occasion of the visit of the Commonwealth Universities delegation.

Art is the very breath of your life. Hence it is that in your rendering of Bharat Natya, its intricacy and transcendentalism, as well as its emotional and rhythmic richness are exquisitely vivified. If the Cinema Hall and Bowl at the two wings of our Academy had tongues, they would proclaim with a hundred voices the glory of the art which you and your talented wife unfolded to us in but two performances. We felt more thrilled than we know how well to express. We hope to greet you one day from a successful tour of U.K. and U.S.A.

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Yours very sincerely,
Sd. V. SUNDARAM

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"DECCAN HERALD" 27th March 1952 SONG AND DANCE RECITAL

Mrs. Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Yehudi Manuhin, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Cameron, Brig. and Mrs. E. Habibullah were among the large gathering who witnessed a delightful Indian song and dance recital at the Bangalore club on Friday night.

Mr. U.S.Krishna Rao, the well-known dancer of South India, and his talented wife, Chandrabhaga Devi, together with their pupils were responsible for the dance items.

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"INDIAN EXPRESS" 27th March 1952 MY DAY - by ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

Hyderabad, Mar.12. After dinner on Friday we went for an hour to watch Krishnarao and his wife and two daughters dance and sing. Practically all of the Indian music is devotional and as a Westerner I cannot find it all beautiful, nor am I all sure of thoroughly understanding it.

I did enjoy some of the singing and all of the dances.

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